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## PROVINCIAL POULTRY EXHIBITION AT EDMONTON A GRAND SUCCESS

### Clareholm Exhibitors Make Excellent Showing, and Win Several Prizes

The poultry arrived home from the provincial show at Edmonton, Saturday. The show was, to say the least, a most successful one. One of the judges stated that it was good as could be seen anywhere in Canada, and that is making some statement. Some of the classes, such as White Rocks, White Wyandottes and White Leghorns were very large, having as many as eighty and ninety entries in a class.

Messrs. Bense and McKenzie did exceptionally well, their birds being well trained and well washed. The other boys fell down considerably, on account of their birds not being trained, their birds becoming badly frightened, while being handled. As for the whole, considering the large entries, the boys did very well, and are to be congratulated upon their success in carrying off thirty-two prizes and eleven specials. J. B. Bense, who exhibited White Rocks, won second on cock; first, second, third, sixth and seventh prizes on cockerels; first, second, fifth, sixth and seventh on hen and five special prizes. J. W. McKenzie, with his Single Combed White Leghorns carried off second on cock; first, second and third on hen; first on cockerel; third, sixth and seventh on pullet; a special on hen and two specials from the Leghorn club. H. B. Tilden, on his Silver Laced Wyandottes, got fourth on cockerel and second, third and sixth prizes on pullet. Mr. Dennis, an exhibitor of Single Combed White Leghorns won third and fourth on cockerel. R. E. Moffatt captured sixth on hen in Buff Rocks. Dr. E. Stevens on his White Wyandottes, got third on cockerel. And A. E. Hunter won on his geese, first on gander second, on goose also Swifts special and the Bulletin special.

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Atcock, 10 to 3, and Sellers' winning from Shanks, 22 to 1. The odds for yesterday's games were as follows:

Norton	Clareholm
Taylor	Wyatt
Fraserstone	Fink
Armstrong	Reynolds
Atcock, skip	Reinecke, skip
Dunnally	Jones
Togler	Smith
Iron	Murray
Holles, skip	Shanks, skip

### HOCKEY GAME CANCELLED

Macleod was evidently afraid of our crooked sticks. Tuesday evening, fearing that they would get a worse trouncing than that of last week in their home town. They were planning on getting all the champion hockey players in southern Alberta to bring with them. But after our boys had the bills out, and the game well advertised, and were looking for a real fast game, thinking that perhaps with all the outside players Macleod could get hold of, they might, with a little of their gentle warfare, hold our boys down to about one or two above them, we received word Tuesday that they were unable to get up a team. Undoubtedly about the time they began looking for some of the good players, they found that a majority of them resided in Clareholm. The result, the above message and no game Tuesday, last.

### MUSICAL INSTRUCTION

I am prepared to instruct pupils on the following musical instruments: violin, clarinet, cornet and flute. Write for appointment to W. D. Woodhead, P.O. Box 56, Clareholm, Alta. 47-4.

### Another Letter From "Dad"

A letter was received from D. W. Munro, last week, informing us that W. Pritchard was married at Xmas time, and that Sam Bennett announced that he will do likewise here long to the front. "Dad" says "it is up to me next."

He also states that the squadron shipped in for two shillings and four pence each, and had a very nice dinner. And that after January 15, there will be no more leave permits issued, so they may expect to leave any time after that for France.

### Evangelistic Services Continued

Messrs. Gillhart and McPherson are making an impression on the community, such as never was made by any speakers who have visited our town before. Mr. Gillhart's appeals are strong, his methods sane and his personality attractive. Mr. McPherson has captivated the people with his songs. The services will continue all next week. The subject tonight will be "Man's Rights" and on Friday night "Building your own Monuments." On Sunday Mr. Gillhart will preach both morning and evening, and at 3 o'clock in the Methodist church, will address the men on "Four Great Facts that make Great Men." This is Mr. Gillhart's greatest address to men, and one you should not miss. Bright singing. Every man invited.

### NEW LODGE ORGANIZED

The Brotherhood of American Women, met in the council chambers, last night and organized a new lodge in Clareholm, with nine members. W. Clark was elected foreman and J. F. Reynolds, as corresponding. District manager E. L. Williamson, of Calgary, had charge of the work. A large class is expected to be initiated at the next regular meeting, which will be held the second Monday in February.

### SEED OATS FOR SALE

Chieve carefully cleaned and graded Banner seed oats. Government Seed Laboratory germination test 100 per cent. Sample and prices furnished on application. C. S. NORRIS, 1221 st. N., Noh-Ford, Alberta.

### Conserve The Breeding Stock

Everyone knows that trade conditions and commercial enterprise have been suffering a very serious and unexpected upheaval during the past year. To this situation the war has, of course, largely contributed; but other causes, including the general financial depression throughout the country, have been operative for some months past. The agricultural industry has, naturally, been very widely affected by these changing conditions and by the varying situation with respect to demand and supply. The rise in the price of grain, together with the corresponding fall in grain production, represents, without a doubt, the most outstanding feature of the situation which has been given to agricultural activity.

We need, perhaps above all things else, sane, level judgement in the conduct of our business during the coming year. It is to be expected that grain production will be largely increased. The raw products of the soil are, and will be, in demand at remunerative prices. What then is to be said, what course to be followed, with respect to the breeding of live stock?

The high price of feed, on the one hand, and relatively low prices for market stock, on the other, have resulted in very heavy marketing throughout Canada, particularly in the Western provinces, of the stock suitable for breeding purposes. Perhaps this was inevitable, but will these conditions continue? Feed grain will without a doubt, be in high price, but it must never be overlooked that the country can maintain very large numbers of live stock on the enormous quantities of rough feed, which it produces. To waste this, for the sake of the grain which can be grown, would, under the present circumstances, be criminal neglect. It is clear, then, that the country should conserve its breeding stock. If grain is to be grown for sale, it is recommended that plans should be carefully thought out as to the manner in which the greatest quantity of rough feed may become available for feeding purposes and as to the means by which this otherwise waste product, together with the screenings and unsaleable grain, may be utilized to the best possible advantage. In other words eliminate waste. Do it by feeding live stock.

The present low prices for live stock cannot last long. A careful review of the world situation makes it clear that there will be a shortage next year. Europe is becoming seriously depleted in both breeding and feeding stock. The United States for ten months of the current year, at its leading markets is short 740,000 cattle, 208,000 sheep and 1,894,369 hogs. Canada has as before stated, heavily liquidated her breeding animals and, while it may possibly maintain its quota next year of cattle and sheep, it is doubtful if more than twenty five per cent of the number of hogs will find their way to market in 1915, as compared with the current year. It is, therefore, a time for live stock men to stay with their trade. The present tendency is, of course, all the other way. A safe harvest is likely to be reaped by those who have stock for sale next year. Even bankers and business men are of this opinion.

One word of advice to be given. Avoid marketing so far as it is at all possible to do so during the period of October fifteenth to December fifteenth. This is a time of the year when everybody else has stock for sale. It is a period when packers know that they can fill their cellars with cheap meat. These are the months when the summer and the winter country finds its way to the packing centers. It is invariably the period of low prices, uncertain markets and disappointing returns to the producer. Hence, therefore, to have your stock available for sale at some other time of the year. Take care to provide sufficient winter feed. That you do not get in a position to sell your stock at a loss in the winter months. Above all conserve your breeding stock.

## CLARESHOLM AND DISTRICT

S. Ferguson is in Express this week.

Get your Auction Bills printed at the Review.

Mrs. D. P. Williams was a Grand visitor Saturday.

E. Williamson, of Calgary, is in town on business.

See "Lucille Love" at the Box next Monday and Tuesday.

T. J. North, of Parkland, was in town the first of the week.

Dr. Warnock, M.P., of Pincher Creek, was in town Tuesday.

Guy Nelson shipped a part of a car of horses to Stettin this week.

Venus Bebelek Lodge installed its officers for the ensuing year, tonight.

Thos. Moore, of the 14 Ranch was in Clareholm on business, on Friday.

Dr. Alexander, stock inspector, of Nanton, was in town on business, Tuesday.

C. E. Tillotson had the misfortune to lose another of his valuable horses last week.

Geo. Rounds returned Saturday, after spending the week with friends in Calgary.

Rev. H. M. Henderson, T. C. Miles and C. W. James were in Macleod on business, Monday.

FOR SALE—About twelve Barred Rock cockerels, to be sold at once. Apply to J. E. Moffatt.

FOR SALE—Quantity of nice clear Western grey seed. Apply to Freeman Anderson, J. 7, st.

The dance in the Parish Hall, last evening was well attended and an enjoyable time was had by all.

Mrs. Fred Scott and daughter, of Calgary, spent a portion of the week with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tillotson.

Sell your old accounts? We will buy them. Send today. Crowe, Merchandise Agencies, Calgary. 461

Miss McCann, instructor of home nursing at the Agricultural school here, left for the school at Oids, Monday.

S. B. Shanks, of Edmonton, is spending a few days with his son, W. R. Shanks, manager of the Union Bank, here.

Dr. Vanhorn is confined to the house, suffering from an injured knee as a result of a severe fall on a slippery sidewalk.

R. D. Foley, provincial superintendent of poultry, for Alberta is the instructor in poultry raising at the Agricultural school.

Dr. Pawett, Veterinary Surgeon has located in Clareholm, and can be found at Vanhorn's livery Barn, Phone 3. 11-104.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Burnside return to their home after spending Xmas with friends and relatives in Ashville, North Carolina, Monday.

Miss Karam, of Gloucestershire, England, who has just completed a course at the Normal school at Calgary, is the new teacher at Trout Creek school.

R. E. Moffatt, N. Holmes, G. Maxwell, Wm. Sherman, H. Duncan and H. Dawson are attending the Libral convention, being held in Macleod today.

Last Friday evening the young people at the Agricultural school had a very enjoyable time. From seven till ten a skating party was given, and the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing.

D. A. McKinnon, who has accepted a Captainship of a squadron of the 21st Alberta Rangers, to be raised immediately, was in town this week. He was accompanied by Fraser Dugan, of Macleod Creek.

Macleod junior hockey team played here Saturday, with the local Juniors. Our lads were much heavier than the Macleod boys, but they could not play the game on the soft ice like the lighter team. The score was 3 to 0 and 3.

A motor load of hockey enthusiasts from Stately, came down to see the game which was held for Tuesday night, but like the rest of us, were greatly disappointed. However, they spent the evening at the local rink before returning home.

H. Pearson, instructor of the dairy work at the Agricultural school has been giving the boys their first lesson in cheese making. The course lasted all last week, some 400 pounds of cheese was made, and the boys seemed to take interest in the work. Mr. Pearson helped to make the cheese that weighed 22,000 pounds, which was exhibited at that last World's Fair, held at Chicago.

About eleven o'clock yesterday morning, F. E. Tobitt's team was standing at the coal shed east of the C.P.R. tracks, when they became frightened at something, we know not what, and ran across to Railway street and up to Third Ave. N., the to Shaver street and proceeded to the Experimental Farm, where they were stopped. Aside from scattering the load of coal, which they were hauling, along the streets, there was practically no damage done.

The C.P.R. seems to be feeling the business depression as well as the rest of the community. We are only required freight each way, every second day, and they are laying off men in every department. The last man to be relieved was Dean, our right wing on the local hockey team. Oldest men with the company receive preference, and Dean was only laid off in his turn. We hope he will be able to put back again or find something to do, that he may see his way clear to remain with us, as he is a valuable man on Clareholm's hockey team.

### Draw For Mayor Holmes Cup

Dec. 26	Reinecke	7	Mitchell	6
	Shanks	11	Moffatt	11
Dec. 28	Reynolds	13	Brann	17
	Holmes	9	Bose	11
Dec. 29	McNichol	13	Tucker	7
	Ringrose	8	Reinecke	14
Dec. 30	Shanks	13	Reynolds	19
	Moffatt	9	Brann	5
Dec. 31	Holmes	6	Tucker	10
	Bose	16	Ringrose	13
Jan. 1	Moffatt	13	Brann	11
	Holmes	11	McNichol	6
	Bose	14	Reinecke	2
	Reinecke	16	Reynolds	16
	Shanks	7	Holmes	6
	Mitchell	16	Brann	17
Jan. 2	Bose	10	Moffatt	11
	Tucker	10	McNichol	10
Jan. 4	Reinecke	11	Shanks	12
	Holmes	6	Reynolds	14
Jan. 5	Moffatt	11	Holmes	11
	Reinecke	13	McNichol	6
Jan. 6	Ringrose	11	Tucker	12
	Mitchell	12	Shanks	6
Jan. 7	Reinecke	10	Mitchell	11
	Brann	17	Reynolds	10
Jan. 8	Moffatt	17	Shanks	10
	Bose	2	McNichol	8
Jan. 9	Holmes	3	Reinecke	7
	Ringrose	16	Mitchell	11
Jan. 11	Shanks	12	Mitchell	7
	Brann	7	Bose	15
Jan. 12	Moffatt	10	Holmes	12
	Reynolds	11	McNichol	11
Jan. 13	Reinecke	20	Holmes	11
	Ringrose	13	Tucker	9
Jan. 14	Shanks	10	Mitchell	7
	Holmes	16	Mitchell	11
Jan. 15	Moffatt	6	Reynolds	10
	Ringrose	12	Tucker	10
Jan. 16	Bose	10	Mitchell	11
	Reinecke	10	McNichol	11
Jan. 18	Ringrose	10	Tucker	10
	Reynolds	10	Holmes	11
Jan. 19	Shanks	10	Moffatt	11
	Bose	10	Tucker	10
Jan. 20	Brann	10	Reynolds	10
	Ringrose	10	McNichol	11
Jan. 21	Reinecke	10	Mitchell	11
	Moffatt	10	Holmes	11
Jan. 22	Reynolds	10	McNichol	11
	Bose	10	Reinecke	11
Jan. 23	Shanks	10	Reinecke	11
	Ringrose	10	McNichol	11
Jan. 25	Brann	10	Tucker	10

### A GOOD COMPOSITION

#### A SUNSET

The sun sank gradually down into the west. The wide boned of Lake Huron lay motionless and glassy except here and there, where a little gold capped wave rose and fell. A golden tinted clouds dotted lazily in the sky, without a breath of air to stir them. The horizon was a golden tint but slowly it turned to a pale blue. The shining rays of the sun fell on the trees that grew along the shores of the lake. The trees were away to the east the sun's rays were lingering on the peaks of the snow capped mountains making them stand out clearly against the now darkening sky. Out on the lake a vessel lay, her sail hanging uselessly against the masts but all her sails and brass fittings shining brightly in the rays of the setting sun.

ASHLEY GARDIN  
The above is one of the compositions done by the pupils of grade eight at the Clareholm Public school. The subject was well taken as the scene is one of exceptional beauty and is described in such a manner that one can almost see the magnificence of the splendor.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

About a dozen of the young friends of Miss Dorothy Cochran, gave her a pleasant surprise on Saturday afternoon, the occasion being her eleventh birthday. Games were played until supper was served in which the birthday cake, which was traditionally adorned with eleven candles, played a prominent part. After the games were again resumed until the young guests departed, wishing that Miss Dorothy may have many such happy birthdays.

### Alberta Rangers Go to Macleod

There was a meeting of the local officers held in the council chamber, Saturday night, at eight o'clock, for purpose of devising the advisability of trying to persuade a squadron of the 21st Alberta Rangers, to make Clareholm their training camp. The main trouble was to find accommodations for the men and horses, should they come. To eliminate this difficulty, the local officers, realizing that the undertaking would mean to Clareholm, unanimously, were willing to give up the remainder of the season's earnings, that is, the money now owing to the local officers, to the 21st as a place of shelter for them. For the horses, it was decided that it was possible to build additional

### W. D. Woodhead Lectures At The School of Agriculture

W. D. Woodhead, B.A., lecturer in Greek, of the University of Alberta, will give a lecture on "The Balance of Power in Europe," in the lecture room at the School of Agriculture, Tuesday evening, January 26th. This is one of the series of extension lectures put on by the University, and is open to the public. The subject is especially timely, as the present interest to every true Britisher. And the speaker is one you should not fail to hear.

### Nanton vs. Clareholm

#### In Four Games Last Week

Two of our local curling rinks journeyed to Nanton Friday morning to play scheduled games with rinks of that town. The risks from here were as follows:

Gray	Maxwell
Williams	Brann
Reynolds	Wyatt
Holmes, skip	Bose, skip

The outcome of the games was that Holmes won from Atcock, 10 to 8, and Bose lost to Fink, 10 to 9. The return game was over yesterday, when Nanton was again successful in winning one and Clareholm once Reinecke winning from







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## RINKS DROWN

The following are the rinks as drawn by the entries for the season:

Chas. Rimpin  
M. M. Frenge  
D. M. Smith  
D. L. Rehner, Skip  
G. Adams  
E. Jones  
F. Murray  
W. R. Shanks, Skip  
C. W. James  
H. D. Dow  
L. A. Perry  
J. Mitchell, Skip  
J. F. Hagerman  
J. R. Watt  
B. F. Stevens  
R. E. Moffatt, Skip  
R. Lepard  
J. T. Kingsley  
W. T. Cochran  
J. Reynolds, Skip

Wm. Ross  
D. Clarko  
H. Duncan  
N. Holmes, Skip  
A. Smart  
G. R. Maxwell  
D. Williams  
C. J. Brann, Skip  
D. Ramuge  
F. R. McCormick  
S. Wyatt  
J. B. Reese, Skip

M. Wall  
A. J. Burside  
Geo. Simpson  
Ber. W. McNeil, Skip  
Jas. McKinney  
G. Godley  
D. B. Vanhorn  
Geo. Ringrose, Skip  
H. O. Haslam  
J. H. Carney  
M. Fisher  
Insp. Tucker, Skip

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## Auction Sale of Farm Lands

Pursuant to the order of a Judge, there will be offered for sale in front of the postoffice, in the town of Clareasholm, on Saturday, the 16th day of February, A. D. 1915, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the northeast quarter of Section thirty-two (32), Township thirteen (13), Range twenty-seven (27), west of the Fourth Meridian, excepting all reservations contained the original grant from the Crown, and in the existing Certificate of Title.

The Vendor is informed that the land has two miles from the town of Staveland and ten miles from Clareasholm. That 160 acres have been surveyed, and during the year 1914, fifty acres were under cultivation and the whole of the land is suitable. There are no improvements on the land. The property is divided into two miles from Staveland postoffice, school and church, ten miles from the Creamery in the town of Clareasholm, and two miles from the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's station in the town of Staveland.

This sale is subject to a reserve bid which has been fixed by a Judge.

Terms of Sale: Ten per cent. cash, and the balance within 60 days, without interest.

For further particulars, apply to

J. R. Watt, Barrister,  
Clareasholm, Alberta.

Approved:

## Auction Sale of Farm Lands

Pursuant to an order of a judge, there will be offered for sale in front of the postoffice, in the town of Clareasholm, on Saturday, the 16th day of February, A. D. 1915, at the hour of 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon, the north-west quarter of Section thirty-two (32), Township thirteen (13), Range twenty-seven (27), west of the Fourth Meridian, excepting the reservations contained in the original grant from the Crown and in the existing Certificate of Title.

The Vendor is informed that the land has two and one-half miles from the town of Staveland and ten and one-half miles from the town of Clareasholm. All of said land extending to 160 acres has been under cultivation. The land is fenced on the north and west sides by a two strand barbed wire fence, which is in a fair state of repair. There are no buildings on the property. The property is situated two and one-half miles from the school and church in Staveland, and two and one-half miles from the C. P. R. station in the town of Staveland, and ten and one-half miles from the creamery in the town of Clareasholm.

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## NINTH ANNUAL CONVENTION

The Ninth Annual Convention of the Alberta Temperance and Moral Reform League will be held in the City of Edmonton on Thursday and Friday, January 21st and 22nd, in the First Baptist Church. Arrangements are being completed for making this convention the greatest possible success. It is estimated that two to three hundred delegates will be present upon that occasion.

Field days are being arranged for both preceding and succeeding the above dates. The following dates have been suggested by the committee in charge as field days in various parts of the province. Nearly all of the above dates have been definitely accepted.

January 10..... Medicine Hat  
17..... Calgary  
24..... Edmonton  
31..... Lethbridge

In this connection the noted and celebrated lecturer, Clinton Howard of Rochester, N. Y., who has been for the last month engaged as one of the Young Squads, lecturing on behalf of temperance in all parts of the United States, has accepted of the invitation to deliver the provincial address in the month of January, under the auspices of the Alberta Temperance and Moral Reform League. He will, therefore, leave Calgary on the 27th and arrive at Edmonton on the 28th, to deliver his present and speaking in connection with the annual convention of the league, on both evenings of the convention, and will visit Lethbridge on the 31st.

As many as possible of the large towns and cities in the province will have the opportunity of hearing this noted man. It is expected that the largest auditoriums in the cities will be engaged for the evenings mentioned above.

Warning.  
"Your own case, my dear Mrs. Come up, is one of severe warning."  
"Lawyer, professor—let it come up!"  
"Let it come up!"

## WOLVES OF LABRADOR.

Story of a Child and the Squaws Who Tried to Save Her.

A Labrador missionary, says North-west in the Wide World Magazine, told me a curious story which occurred on the Labrador coast some years ago. One night the little daughter of a certain house was missing, and, on discovering the child's tracks in the snow, a party of squaws set out to look for her.

What was their alarm when, a little way from camp, they found that the footprints of a great gray wolf accompanied those of the child. The brute had not as yet been hurt, but had apparently frisked along ahead, snuffing the child rather and sniffing her from camp. In pursuing the child inside for a dog and followed readily, though the superstitious Indians, of course, believed that the brute had exercised some devilish influence over her.

Darkness was creeping on and, though much afraid, the squaws continued to follow the tracks of the wolf and the child. Night found them far from home, when what was their horror to find that the footprints had been deceived and were now surrounded by wolves!

Only one squaw survived the night of horror that ensued to return next morning to tell her friends of the calamity to camp.

## SHORTHAND BLUNDERS.

Misplaced or Wrong Words Lead to Quer Translations.

A volume might be filled with amusing stories of shorthand mistakes, the greater number of them due to misused words. For instance, "this day is big with fate" was transcribed "This day is big with fat" while "Do not indulge in spite" came out "Do not indulge in spit" and "A house of many gables" was transcribed into "A house of many gabbers."

The use of the wrong vowel may make the most amusing result as in the phrase, "Man, know thyself," which was once converted in the report of a sermon into "Man, gnaw thyself." To misplace a vowel is to shorthand the easiest thing in the world. T. A. Reed, the well known reporter, tells of a pupil who by this means turned "man's love" into "mangy cats," and another report of a sermon was spoiled by the advice "Return to a love of a man" into "Return to a love of a man." The "reporting style," in which the vowels are omitted altogether for the sake of rapidity, is responsible for the famous American story of the short-handled clerk who took down a note of the wife's instructions to the nurse to remember to bring home some cattle and sheep, and, as a result, returned home with a tin of ointment—London Strand Magazine.

No Airs About Her.  
"Ains" explained the proud mother about her head vigorously "My Kliss, for all her learning, hasn't any more airs, so she teases, but her poor old dad."

"Then she won't turn up her nose at her best friends?" queried the visitor.  
"La, no!"

"How refreshing! Most girls who go through college nowadays will hardly look at their father after they're graduated."  
"Well, they ain't like my Kliss, that's the way she says," retorted Kliss's mother.

Her Dauntless Spouse.  
There was a young woman in the box party at the theater who took no notice in the noisy clatter and confusion. With her face fixed upon the stage she watched the progress of the play, indifferent to the gaudy round her except that her delicate, aristocratic, finely clad features bore a look of weariness and a scornful smile curled her lips. At last, however, she turned her head slowly and looked at the other members of the party. Then she spoke to the elderly matron sitting by her side. "That chicken in the blue costume," she said, "thinks she is the whole catbird!"—Argonaut.

Linen of Bohemia.  
One of the oldest and most important industries of northern Bohemia is that of linen weaving, which furnishes employment under favorable conditions to fully 25,000 people, who are so skilled in the production of fine linen that these goods are famous known and find a ready market in all parts of the world.

Chloroform.  
Chloroform was the result of signs of experiment in an effort to do away with the pain of surgical operations. It was first used by a French chemist with more or less success. In experiments by craniotomy and other operations were given to the patient to stupefy him.

## SEALED CATCHER.

"Everything From Whales to Herring In Plutonium on British Coast."

It may come as a surprise to the reader to learn that whales and porpoises often visit British shores, and that several whale-ships have been seen at prominent seaside resorts. According to a story told me by a fisherman interviewed by the writer recently, a whale was often found when the tide was in, and was seen to be very long ago that over a hundred years ago a whale was stranded in Monks' Bay, near Penzance. The whale was so large that it was left to rot in the water, and the bones of the whale were used for fuel. The whale was so large that it was left to rot in the water, and the bones of the whale were used for fuel.

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Perhaps the largest whale ever seen in the waters of the British coast was the one that was stranded in Monks' Bay, near Penzance, in the year 1791. It was so large that it was left to rot in the water, and the bones of the whale were used for fuel. The whale was so large that it was left to rot in the water, and the bones of the whale were used for fuel.

There is a class of men and women who earn a livelihood by waiting for the cattle of the farmer, and they are called "waiters." They are called "waiters" because they wait for the cattle of the farmer, and they are called "waiters" because they wait for the cattle of the farmer.

Made Him Famous.  
A. M. Palmer, the famous clairvoyant, once told a story which illustrated the reason for Manfield's success on the stage. Manfield before he was known to fame was cast in the part of Hamlet in "Hamlet," so small that other actors refused to play it. Manfield, however, took the part, and his performance was so good that he became famous.

Kissing the Toe.  
The custom of kissing the feet of persons whom it was desired to honor originated in the ancient times. The people of oriental nations used to kiss the hands and feet of their superiors, and the custom was so general that it was even practiced by the people of the west.

A Handkerchief Trick.  
To take two corners of a handkerchief, one in each hand, and with a single straight motion and without letting go either corner, to tie a knot in the handkerchief seems at first thought impossible. Nevertheless, it is simple. Before you take hold of the corners in each hand, draw them apart. That single straight motion will tie the knot.

Two Towers.  
Students of architecture may have often wondered why the two towers of Notre Dame at Paris were not of the same size. It appears that when the cathedral was built, the architect was not entitled to two towers of equal height, and for this reason the bishop of Paris was so enraged to the bishop of Paris.

Blind Horses.  
Martins, blunders, and wrecks do not take kindly to horses made of new, bright metal. It is a mistake to lead them to prefer the places which were clearly reserved for the blades of decayed trees, in which the drivers have nested from time immemorial. Build your bridges so that you can't see the birds rather than to please your own tastes.

Cause For Applause.  
At the close of the premiere performance of a recent operatic novel, one particularly inexpressible operator was observed heating his palms together vigorously. "What are you applauding for?" asked a friend. "To show how thankful I am that the curtain is down at last," he replied.

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